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## TAIWAN TYPHOON MORAKOT - (AGENDA ITEM 63, SEPTEMBER 1, 2009 BOARD **MEETING)**

On August 25, 2009, on motion of Supervisor Michael D. Antonovich, the Board instructed the Chief Executive Officer to contact the Taipei Economic and Cultural Office in Los Angeles to offer assistance in the reconstruction efforts led by President Ma-Ying-jeou of Taiwan, and report back to the Board on September 1, 2009.

The Office of Emergency Management contacted Director Douglas Shen, Taipei Economic and Cultural Office in Los Angeles. Director Shen, on behalf of the Taiwan government, expressed his gratitude to Los Angeles County for the offer of assistance. Additionally, Director Shen will send a formal request to his government for the identification of the type of assistance that Los Angeles County can provide in the recovery efforts from Typhoon Morakot and will inform the Office of Emergency Management of his government's response once received.

If you have any questions or require further information, please contact me at (213) 974-1101 or Mr. John Fernandes, Office of Emergency Management, at (323) 980-2261.

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